

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q60673

Frank HAGEBARTH

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Application No.: 09/676,675

Group Art Unit: 2662

Confirmation No.: 4764

Examiner: David E. Odland

Filed: October 2, 2000

For: METHOD OF ACTIVATING AN INACTIVE TERMINAL OF A DATA NETWORK,
PARTICULARLY OF AN IP NETWORK

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

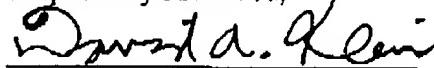
In a telephone message left by Examiner Odland on January 22, 2004, in response to a telephone message left by Applicant's undersigned representative on January 19, 2004, Examiner Odland indicated that no Preliminary Amendment appears in the file wrapper.

The Preliminary Amendment is believed to resolve at least the specification objections and the objections for improper dependency of claims 4-7 and 11 in the Office Action of January 2, 2004. The Office Action states (page 4) that claims 4-7 and 11 were not treated on the merits.

Attached are copies of the Preliminary Amendment filed October 2, 2000; the application transmittal letter filed October 2, 2000 (referring to the preliminary amendment in the second paragraph); the filing receipt including the Preliminary Amendment and transmittal letter, date-stamped by OIPE on October 2, 2000; and a copy of the serial number card.

Entry of the Preliminary Amendment and consideration of claims 4-7 and 11 on the merits are requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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Re: Application of Frank HAGEBARTH

**METHOD OF ACTIVATING AN INACTIVE TERMINAL OF A DATA
 NETWORK, PARTICULARLY OF AN IP NETWORK**
 Our Ref. Q60673

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Dear Sir:

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Attached hereto is the application identified above including 26 sheets of the specification, claims and abstract and 2 sheets of formal drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Please see attached preliminary amendment before calculating Government filing fee.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	16	-	20	=	0	x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$80.00	=	\$0.00
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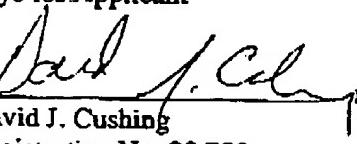
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TOTAL FEE	<u>\$750.00</u>

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Priority is claimed from October 19, 1999 based on German Application No. 19950231.5. The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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2. LETTER dated January 22, 2004 (1 page)
3. Duplicate copy of New Application Transmittal Letter, filed October 2, 2000 (1 page)
4. Duplicate copy of PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT filed, October 2, 2000 (2 pages)
5. Duplicate copy of OIPE-stamped filing receipt dated October 2, 2000 (1 page)
6. Duplicate copy of Serial Number notification card (1 page)

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Sir:

I hereby certify that the above identified correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to Examiner David E. Odland at the Patent and Trademark Office on January 22, 2004 at 703-872-9306.

Respectfully submitted,

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